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For: ARTICULATING SUTURING DEVICE)	
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Sir:

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Enclosed is a copy of the Official Filing Receipt marked in red to show correction that is needed. The correction as follows.

Please change Atty. Docket No. from: "15508-002510" to "033297-035"

Please change Applicant name from "Bruce D. Modesitt" to "D. Bruce Modesitt".

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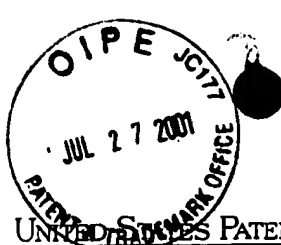
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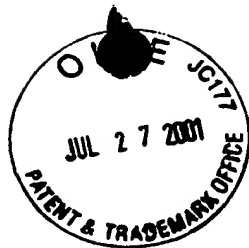
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Articulating suturing device and method

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REVOCATION AND NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY
BY ASSIGNEE OF ENTIRE INTEREST

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Sir:

As the Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application, all powers of attorney previously given are hereby revoked, and Mary Ann Dillahunty, Reg. No. 34,576, T. Gene Dillahunty, Reg. No. 25,423, Robert E. Krebs, Reg. No. 25,885, James W. Peterson, Reg. No. 26,057, Gerald F. Swiss, Reg. No. 30,113, Kirk M. Nuzum, Reg. No. 38,983, Adam Cermak, Reg. No. 40,391, Kelly J. McCrystle, Reg. No. 46,257, Anthony J. Josephson, Reg. No. 45,742 and Joseph A. Twarowski, Reg. No. 42,191 are hereby appointed to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected with the above-identified application. The Assignee has reviewed documentary evidence of the chain of title from the original owner to the Assignee recorded on May 13, 1999 for the parent application 09/262,402, now U.S. Patent No. 6,136,010 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 009974, Frame 0640, and certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief it is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified application.

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

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